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File No. 197 of 10-11.

Serial Nos. 1–17

(The file contains a Despatch for Rs 200/- on Pg 42 of the Correspondence)

Papers Filed.

Month November 1914.

SUBJECT.

Grant of a gratuity of Rs. 200/— (Sanctioned by the Govt. of India) to ... Kasamma widow of the late Munimp —

PREVIOUS REFERENCES.	LATER REFERENCES.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

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G. M. File No. 197-10

FILE HEADING.

Damages to person and property in connection with the ~~Dasshara Incendiaries~~ Field firing practice at the Hebbal Rifle Range

From

The Deputy Comr, Bangalore.

No. 2525. Dated 15.12.10. Received 15.12.10.

Diary No. 2618	Enclos. 2.	Spare Copies	Serial No. 1.

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Forwards reports from the Supt of Police, Bangalore Dt and the Police Supt, Bangalore Th, thro' the Amildar, on the severe injury caused to one Sulaiman, son of Mohadeen Khan of Bhupasamudra village in the limits of Hebbal by a bullet from the direction of the Field Range, Hebbal.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

Secy's order. "Submit to Dewan for perusal".
(Sd) C.S.A. 15/12/10.

(2) A further report on the details of the incident is presented.
15.12.10 Sub Dewan.

Notes—First sheet 16/12/10

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16.12.10

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2. From the Dy. Commr. Bangalore No 281 of 3/5. In cont. of sl 1 & submits the further report rec from the Supdt of Police, Bangalore, ~~stating that~~ suggesting a reference to the Military authorities the matter of extending the ~~prohibited range~~ 'prohibited area.'

(4) May the fact be reported to the Residency & the attention invited to sl. 9 of G.M. 150 of 1908-9? Amildar is of opinion that it is no use raising the butts but that the prohibited area should be widened.

[There is no information as to whether the Military units that were practising were informed of this nor has the sketch said to have been sent by the Police Inspector forwarded].

7:1:11 VS (INS). VS. 4/1

(5) Please put up draft as suggested, embodying the observations of the Amildar & DS Canara

(6) Draft noted. [no plan has been received in the Office & no info is available as to whether the man has recovered or not

9.1.11 VS (INS) VS. 4/1

9.1.11

(7) Call for the sketch referred to by the Police Inspr

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+ This does not seem to be quite necessary.

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(8) Draft to the D.C. Bangalore subt
VS(Ins) 10.1.11 VS.41

(9) Issued 10/1/11

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3. To the Dc. Bangalore dh
No. A 41/14 d. 13.1.11

With refee to the Correspee end:
with the above requests him to forwd
early the sketch referred to in the Taluk Police Inspector's Report

Gen 4. From the D.C., Bangalore No. S.320 of 24-1
Forwards the Sketch of the scene of
Accident called for in R-3.

May the draft letter to the Resd already
put up be issued?
20 Gen (8)
(114)
30-1-11 Secy. 30/1/11

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1.2.11

Secun
Draft approved
31/1/11

10 Issue
4/2/11

5 To the D.C. Resident No. Pol 761 dy 16.2.11. Communi
contents of Sl 1 & requests the Military authorities to
addressed to the proposal to raise the butt throw
the entire range being given effect to at an early dat

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6. From the J.A. Resident No D. 153 of 13.3.1 with refce to Sl's forwards copy of letter no 1013 from the Asst Commanding Royal Engineer stating that the stop Butt of the Range was raised during Jany to April 1910, the portion to the East ~~in front of~~ near the danger Zone being raised to a height of 20 ft above the feet of the targets & the portion to the west to a height of 30 feet.

U Draft communicating the above to the D.C. is submd.

VB (125) 16.3.11 — ~~46~~ 17.3.11 — Secy). — 17.3.11

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17/3/11

7 To D.C. Bangalore - No Cs 5738 Dy 1.4.11.

With refce to correce ending with D. 4, forward copy of the Assistant Commanding Royal Engineer's letter refd to in the above, and enquires whether he has any further suggestions to make with a view to minimise the recurrence of such accidents.

8 From the Dy Commissioner, Bangalore Dt. no. S.32 Dy 20-7-1911. With reference to the above, states that the opinion of Expert Musketry officers may be obtained in the matter of minimising the

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recurrence of such accidents at the Hebbal Range.

12 Submitted for orders.

VS. 41 hms. 26-7-1911 Secy/

Rn. 26.7.11

13 Such accidents are likely to be very rare. It is doubtful if it is necessary to keep any land to the west of the range & danger zone vacated. Such a step will involve the requisition of a large extent of valuable land as firing is constantly going on at Hebbal.

13064 17.8.11

14 Decision vide G.M. file 197 of 11-12 [S. Reg] in. 15/8/11 15/8/11 1 Feb 12

P. T. O.

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9 From the I. G. of Police in Mysore - no. 1240/129 dat 27-9-1911 - Forwards for information copies of lett from the Supdt. of Police, Bangalore Dt. - re: the a cident at Hebbal durii Firing practice on 12-12- and observes that the mer raising of the butts will n afford a sufficient protec and that several lines of quick growing trees will have to planted in close order beh the butts to avoid any accidents in future.

15 The previous reference on the subject were su mitted to the Dewan o 16-8-1911.

Submitted.

US. 41
17-10-1911.

for
17.10.11

16 The Sketch shows a Govt plantat immediately behind the butts & it is n clear if the addition of 2 or 3 more lines of trees as suggested by the IG will impro

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matters very much. Perhaps the existing plantation maybe planted up more thickly - The only adequate remedy would be to throw the lands behind the butts up to as far as the Hebbal tank out of cultivation.

13972/19.10.11

17 Dewan) CSB 18/10/11
Address a letter to F.A.R. in terms of para 3 of G.O. dated 14/10/12

18 Put up draft

C.N.

CSB 3/2/12

19 Draft letter is put up.

C.R. 107. VS. 41
5/2/12

20 Issue CSB 9/2/12

10 To. F. A. Resident
No. Pol 687 & 13. 2. 12.
Addresses a letter in terms of para 3 of G.O. 9.

11 Letter No 2317/230 dated 19/20th 1913 from D.G. of Police

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reporting for the information of Govt another bullet accident that occurred in the course of firing at the Hebbal Range on the 2nd Oct^{r} 1913 by the Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

(21) The Inspector General refers to his letter of the 27th Sept^{r} 1911 making certain suggestions for safe-guarding the Range and requests to be informed of the result of the reference if any, made to the Residency in the matter.

(22) may the substance of the present letter be communicated to the Residency in continuation of Sl no 2.

30/12/13

VB Brahmanandam
31/12

Secy) 24 Yes - Please pass up a draft reply to the Residency

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Draft Sd.
7.1.14.

Secy)

7.1.14

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Dewan.

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10.1.14

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Group III

1. Revision of the draft letter to the Residency about prevention of accidents at the Hebrid Range —

(2)

(3)

Revised Draft Submitted.
H. 24-1-14.

(4) Revised Draft is submitted as per instructions given

24.1.14

Subd

As directed the file was subd to Mr N. Rowan who will [illegible] the Secretary's instructions were, it appears, on the lines of the annual [illegible] here. [illegible] also wanted [illegible] the papers relating to the Grange & Map of the locality. It appears the [illegible] also suggested that the [illegible] the [illegible] might be in stronger terms

DL
10.3.14

(5) Draft about Hel
- bal accidents -

1) Why not ask
the Residency,
what action
the military
deptt, propose
to take in such
matters;

2) Why should
not the Militar
Authorities give
intimation
of the accident
to the Durbar

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(6) I should like
to see a plan of
the Rifle Range Ground

(7) I shall be
obliged [illegible]
will [illegible]
[illegible]

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Routine Notes.

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(5)

The [illegible]
the [illegible]
of the Rifle [illegible]
[illegible] at Hebbal.

[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] R.F.
[illegible]

(9) The original papers on the subject of the Rifle Range at Hebbal are put up, along with a printed compilation on the subject which contains maps of the locality (at the end). It will be seen therefrom that the lands forming the Range were acquired by the military deptt for Rs 12176-2-3 and made over to them on the following conditions:—

P.W.D file No 7/34 in three parts

Pages 154-20 of the Printed Compilation K A + B of the file of Papers.

Also H.C

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Routine Notes.

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(1) The boundaries ~~to conform~~ to conform with those marked on the accompanying tracing the numbers denoting position of the boundary stones to be fixed by the Mysore Public Works Deptt

(2) All the roads and the cart-track to Guttahalli together with the usual space attached to such roads for avenues &c, all the water-supply contour channels within the boundaries to be Conserved and maintained by the Mysore Public Works Dep^t^

(3) The Watchman's she and young tope adjoin it will at present be the control of the Mysore Pub Works Deptt

(4) The Rifle Ranges are not included within the Civil & Military Station Boundaries but the ground within the boundaries as above revised will be handed over to the Military Authorities as a Rifle Range

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(Part III)

(10) It will also be seen from P. W. Secretary's letter № 296/2024 dated 29th March 1906 to the First Asst to the Hon'ble the Resident, — paras I(3) and II — that the extent and bounder of the land, the danger zone and the forest plantation behin the Rifle Range are not correctly mentioned in the tracing attached to the printed compilation. It is perhaps desirable to get from the P. W. D. a copy of the map sent to the Residency with the letter of 26.3.1906 mentione above.

(11) If approved the file will be sent unoffici to the P. W. Secty for favour of ~~doing the~~ forwarding a correct copy of the map referred to at early date.

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(12) Please get a copy of the map referred to in the PWD Secy's letter dt 29-3-06 to the Resy, early

U.O. No 93-138/13.3.14 SPR 12/3

Urgent

(13) Forwarded unofficially to the Public Works Secy. for favour of furnishing a copy of the map referred to above.

By Order

Sd/ Illegible

for Secy to Govt

(14) DR

R. C. No: 64 / PWD. dt the 16th March 1914. A copy of the map asked for is here with sent.

V 17/3

N. P. Subramania Ayer for Secy. to Govt. PWD.

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(15) 16th March 1914

Secy SPR 17/3

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Why was no action taken on this letter earlier? Secy will please explain to Govt

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Routine Notes.

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(16) The drafts is revised again as suggested by the Dewan are submitted for approval.

(17) In our previous communication dated 13.2.12. (a letter is referred to in the draft put up) certain suggestions had been made to avoid accidents which would happen to notice the Res[t] was requested to address his rule[s] and bye-laws on this subject. It is not known if his rule[s] and bye-laws were addressed by the Res[t] & [illegible] what reply he gave.

(18) In his [illegible] draft now put the copy of the Res[t] is invited to the above communication and is requested to send his rule[s] and bye-laws may be asked to intimate what action is proposed to take to avoid such accidents.

(19) If the draft is approved, the office will be directed to see how his notice is not complied with & send a reminder & steps to his Res[t] if his reply is not received within a reasonable time — by a reminder

(20) A plan of the premises belonging to Butts is put up, as required

(21) Dewan

(22) Typed draft approved by Dewan is placed on the file, 9/4/12. SA

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23) May the typed Dft. appd. by the Diwan issue. 2

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Issue

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12 Letter No. Pol 818 dated 16th April 1914 to the First Assistant to the Honble the Resident in Mysore — Intimates the contents of Cl 11, suggests that some special measures should be ~~adopted~~ adopted against a recurrence of such serious accidents and requests that the Durbar may be furnished with full particulars of such occurrences.

13. Endt No. 5258 dated 30th July 1914 from the First Assistant to the Honble the Resident in Mysore — States in reply to the above that the Govt of India have sanctioned the grant of a gratuity of Rs 200/- to Hasamma, widow of the late Muniraja, and that the Military Authorities have stated that any future occurrence will be duly intimated to the Residency with as little delay as possible.

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11) The case will serve as an important precedent. A Bfl to the I. G. of Police is subd
DM hrs
7.8.14

5) Maybe approved
Secy)
M 8/8/14

6) The draft may be approved.
Dewan)
Draft approved 15.8.14

Draft and Rlw 10/8

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11.8.14

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Submitted to His Highness.

Paper under disposal

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27) I submit for perusal the accompanying file of papers ending with Residency Memo No.5258 dated 30th July 1914 in reply to Durbar's letter No.818 dated 16th April, on the subject of providing safeguards for preventing accidents in the vicinity of the Rifle Range at Hebbal.

28) 2. In the case of an accident which recently occurred resulting in the death of one Muninagappa who was struck by a bullet while gathering grass in a field at a distance of a mile from the Range, the Government of India have generously sanctioned a gratuity of Rs.200 to his widow. This amount will be paid to the widow through the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.

Paper under disposal

Draft for approval

29) 3. A draft reply to the Residency is also put up.

BR

M. Visvesvaraya

15th Aug 1914.

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Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja

Subject.

(30) Residency memorandum forwarding copy of a letter from the Government of India, Army Department, to the General Officer Commanding 9th (Secunderabad) Division, conveying sanction to the grant of a gratuity of Rs.200 to Kasam-ma, widow of the late Muninaga, who was actually shot behind the Hebbal Rifle Range at Bangalore.

No 2888 15-8-14

No. 159

Order.

(31) ~~KRW~~

18/8/14

(32) Sarlas

19-8-14

(33) Sd/- Kr 19-8-14

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14.	To the I.G. of Police, No. G. 1945 D/22.8.14 — With reference to Pl 11, states that the Govt. of India have sanctioned the grant of a gratuity of Rs 200/- to Kasamma, widow of the late Muniraja who was shot behind the Hebbal Rifle Range at Bangalore.
—	To the D.C. Bangalore, No. G. 1946 D/22.8.14 — Forwards Copy of the above, together with the sum of Rs 200/- referred to above for being paid to the widow of the deceased & the fact reported.
15.	do. The A.G. Resident Pl No. 154 D 4.9.14 Acknowledges the receipt of the amount & adds that the Durbar are obliged to the Military authorities for the assurance that future occurrences of such character will be communicated to the Durbar.
16	From the Dy. Commr of Bangalore No. S 2222 D 12.10.14 States that Kasamma having died, the daughter of the deceased was sent for & the amount disbursed to her on 18.9.14
34)	Subd. The Dy. Commr reports that the amount of Rs 200 received thro' the Residency has been paid to the daughter of the deceased Muniga, as the widow, Kasamma, died on 5.8.14.
35)	It is seen from the vernacular correspondence received that the deceased

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had two wives — one Pillamma whom he married & the other Kasamma who joined him by what is known as ಅಂಬಲಿ ಬಿಡಿ. The latter had two daughters who are reported to have died of plague. His first wife Pillamma also is dead.

36) He has a daughter by his first wife Muni by name to whom the amount has been paid. She is about 20 years & is married to the brother of the deceased Kasamma.

37) The amount was meant to be paid to the widow & it is not known if the Dy. Comr was right in making payment to the daughter who is married.

38) Subd. for orders. The question is whether the daughter of the deceased ~~is entitled to the right~~ amount as heiress.

K.N. Brd 21.10.14

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39) The point for orders is perhaps. Whether the gratuity in question having been granted to a particular person Kasamma, by name as widow of the deceased Munigo on account of her peculiar misfortune, and the said Kasamma being now dead the Dy Comr was right in treating it as heritable property and making payment to the daughter as the next heir at law, to the deceased

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Meniga or whether the amount should not rather be considered as having escheated to Govt:, the person entitled to thereto being no more. On this point the opinion of Bar III may be taken, or the matter may be dropped the daughter also having suffered bereavement, tho' perhaps in a lesser degree than the wife.

Secy
21.10

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The report is too laconic. Please find out from the records as to whether the DS Comm' satisfied himself that the daughter is the preferential heir to the widow and that he had the discretion, under the existing rules, to order the payment

41 A further report will have to be called for in the matter, if the papers do not contain the requisite information.

Dmn
23/10

42 Attention is respectfully invited to paras 35 & 36 of the notes. The required information as regards the heirs of the deceased is forthcoming in the papers themselves. Both the widows of the deceased are dead, and it would seem as if the daughter Meni to whom payment has been made is the sole surviving heir of the deceased Meniga. Further it appears that the deceased, Ukkaringa, Kasamma his wife & Meni his daughter were all living together (Please see Village Mahazar flagged A)

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43 The only point for order is whether the gratuity was personal to Kasamma or whether it can be treated should be treated as having been intended for the family of the deceased represented by Kasamma. In the latter case, the payment made to the daughter Mani must be held to be right. If the former be the case the amount must escheat to Govt. I am inclined to the view that the gratuity was intended as compensation to the family. If this view be correct, the matter may simply be reported to the Residency Secy.

This is the correct view: Dowe 23/10

Is a report due?

Mon 23/10.

If no report is due, a recording draft G.O. is enough

Dowe 23/10

Is it usual to report in such cases?

Mon 23.10

I see that the F.A.'s letter has already been acknowledged, and no report is explicitly required in the said letter. A record G.O. is therefore enough.

Mon 23.10

Draft Subd.

K.N. Lus 26/10/14 Secy

May be approved.

Approved Dowe 28/10

Mon 27.10

Issue Mon 28/10

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To.
The Dy. Comm^r, Bangalore Dt
no. G 45508 6.11.14
Records the report-

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S. No-252
Encl 2.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
BANGALORE DISTRICT,
DATED, BANGALORE 14th December 1910
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From,
B. J. Ramaraddi Naidu Esqre
B.A.
Deputy Commissioner,
Bangalore District.

To C.S. Balasundaram Iyer Esqre B.A.
Offg: Secretary to the Government of Mysore
General & Revenue Departments.

Sir,

I have the honor to submit herewith for information of Government a copy of Letter No. 1156 dated 12th/13th instant, together with that of its enclosure, received from the Superintendent of Police, Bangalore District, reporting that on 12th December 1910, a man named Subman was struck by a bullet, said to have come from the direction of the Field Firing Range at Hebbal, and to state that the details of the incident

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From The Deputy Commissioner,
Bangalore District.

To The Secy: to the Govt:
of Mysore
Genl & Rev: Departments

Dated 14th
Despatched 15th } December 1900

Received

General No.
S. No. 2572

Enclosure No. 2.

Submits for information a Copy of Letter No 1156, dated 12th/13th Instant, together with that of its Enc; received from the Supt of Police, Bangalore Dist reporting that one Suliman was struck by a bullet - said to have come from the direction of the Field Firing Range at Hebbal on the 12th Instant & that details of the incident will be submitted shortly

incident will be submitted on receipt of the further report called for from the Superintendent of Police, Bangalore District

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant.

In Deputy Commissioner,
Bangalore District.

Letter No 1156 dated 12th December/10,
Misc. No 1. 3.
from Superintendent of Police,
Bangalore District, to the Deputy
Commissioner, Bangalore District.

I have the honor to state that
the Amildar of Bangalore Taluk reports
that a man named Sleman son of
one Mohadeen Khan of Bhupasamudra
village in the limits of Hebbal, was
struck by a bullet which came
from the direction of the Field Firing
Range at Hebbal this day and that
he is now in the Victoria Hospital
and undergoing treatment.

2. A copy of the report No B, dated
this day and received from the Police
Inspector, Bangalore Taluk, giving
the details of the incident is herewith
forwarded for information.

After making enquiries at
the spot, I shall submit a
detailed

detailed report.

" "

Copy

J Thomas

To *Deputy Commissioner,*
Bangalore District.

WBL

Report.

I beg to submit that Constable Nur Ahamed No: 133 of Hebbal came to me at about 3 P. M., and reported that a man named Sileman son of Mahodeen Khan of Bhupasandra village was hit by a bullet from the direction of Hebbal Firing Range, while he was working in his field; and that the man has been brought to the Victoria Hospital for treatment. I went directly to the Hospital and took down his statement, copy of which is hereto attached for kind perusal. The man was collecting ragi straw at about 9 A. M., when the bullet hit him. The bullet has pierced from the right nose down the front row of the teeth in the upper jaw and passing through the tongue and lower portion of the same, has struck itself behind the neck on the left side. The bullet could easily be felt by the hand. The man

man talked to me well, and I believe he is not in danger. Anyhow I submitted a report to the City Magistrate requesting to record his dying declaration. The Magistrate arrived at the Hospital accordingly at about 5 P.M., and recorded his declaration, to the effect that the bullet hit him from the direction of the Hebbal Firing Range. One Ibrahim who was working with him is said to have removed him to the Police Station in a cart. This day I ascertained that the Cameron Highlanders, 91st Rifles and some Volunteers (Bangalore) were practising firing at the Range.

Bangalore 12-12-10. } (Sd.) S. N. Srinivasa Rao
Inspector.

Submitted
Further report will be submitted after going to the spot.
(Signed) A. Hayes
Asstt. Surgeon

Copy
[illegible]
for Dy. Commissioner.

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Deputy Commissioner's office
Dated 3rd January 1911

No. 287
Encl 2

From

B. J. Kumarasami Naik Esq., B.A.
Deputy Commissioner
Bangalore District.

To

C. S. Balasundaram Iyer Esq., B.A.
Officiating Secretary to the Government of Mysore
General and Revenue Departments

Sir,

In continuation of this office letter No. S. 252 dated 15.12.1910 in re the accident by bullet at Hebbal I have the honor to forward herewith a copy of letter No. 1204 dated 19.12.1910 together with that of its enclosure received from the Superintendent of Police Bangalore District furnishing a further report in the matter.

In this connection I beg to invite kind attention to this office No. S. 201 dated 23-10-1908 in which a similar accident at the same place was reported with a request that the military authorities may be addressed to extend the protected range.

It is not clear from the Police Superintendent's report whether the proposal to raise the Butt throughout the entire length contemplated in letter No. 1067 dated 1.12.1908 from the Assistant Commanding Royal Engineer to the First Assistant Resident, copy of which was forwarded to this office with your No. G. 3761 dated G.M. 150-08-11 dated 1.12.08, was carried out or not.

In either case, I beg to submit that a reference to the Military Authorities in the matter appears to be a

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From The Deputy Commissioner
Bangalore District.

To The Secretary to the Govt of
Mysore
Genl & Rev: Department

Dated 3rd: January 1911.

Despatched 5th —"—

Received

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No.

Enclosure No. 2

Forwards further report & copy of letter No 1204 D 19/12/10 of the Supdt of Police-Bangalore Dist in re the accidental death by bullet at Hebbal &c &c

a necessity for the safety of public life.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant
H. O. Ramsden
~~for~~ Deputy Commissioner,
Bangalore District.

Worth

Docket No. 1204 dated 17th December 1910
This
from the Superintendent of Police, Bangalore district
to the Deputy Commissioner Bangalore District.

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In continuation of my letter No. 1156
dated 12th instant, and with reference to your
docket No. R. 1630 dated the 14th instant,
in re the accident by bullet at Hebbal,
I have the honor to forward for information
copy of Bangalore Taluk Police Inspector's
Report No. 463 dated 15-12-1910 with the
Amildars observations thereon.

"Copy"

H. V. Ramaswamy
for Deputy Commissioner
Bangalore District.

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In continuation of my report No.B. dated 12th December 1[illegible] I beg to report that the District Superintendent of Police and myself visited the scene of occurrence in the evening of the 13th instant. The spot where the bullet struck the mar(Sir) is about ¼ of a mile from the Butt and about 2 furlongs from the village of Bhupasandra and is also is about 50 yards off the western side hedge of the prohibited area. The prohibited area extends up to the tank of Hebbal probably a mile and a quarter in length. The breadth of this area is equal to that of the Butt itself, in fact it is a projection of the latter. The distance from which the soldiers were Firing could not be ascertained. I am convinced that it is only a mere accident. The [illegible] jected to an operation on the morning of the 13th and the bullet has been extracted. He is under treatment in the -- Victoria Hospital. A sketch is hereto attached [illegible]

I learn that there were similar accidents in previous years. It is quite obvious that in order to prevent [illegible] essential that the prohibited area must be widened or that the mud mound composing the Butt be raised a little higher. The Head of Police also visited the spot on the morning of the 14th instant.

Sd/-S.A.Srinivasa Rao,
Inspector.

Submitted.-

The cause of the accident is due either to a ricochet or an escaped bullet, in either case the necessity of [illegible] the protected area behind the Butts as established by the previous accident and that of the one in which a boy was shot through the [illegible] lions about two years ago; which accident also occurred in the same locality.

It is no use raising the height of the butts as the ground in this vicinity is on a slope, so that whether firing from the farthest point near the [illegible] level with the top of the Butts, and the distance a bullet is likely to travel is greater than the distance between

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H. V. Lewis

To Deputy Commissioner

Bangalore District

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ecy. to the Govt. of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore,
Genl. and Rev. Dept.

To

The Hy. Co

Dated Bangalore Dt

Despatched 13.1.11

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General No. A 4114.

No. Cm/197-10-3

Enclosure No.

With reference to the correspondence ending with his letter no 281 dt 3.1.11 reporting on an accident in the Hebbal Range, he has the honor to request that the sketch referred to in the Dakuk Police Inspectors report no B dt 12th Dec'11 may be forwarded to this office at a very early date

D-O.

10/1/11 for C.H.C.

1/5/11

confirmed by Krishnamurthy 6-1-11

MGCPT—20,000—6-2-05.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
BANGALORE DISTRICT.
DATED, BANGALORE 24th January 1911

S. No 320
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From,

B. J. Kumarasami Naik Esquire B.A.

Deputy Commissioner,
Bangalore District.

To C.S. Balasundaram Iyer Esquire B.A.
Offg: Secretary to the Government of Mysore
General & Revenue Departments.

Sir,

With reference to your docket No G. 4114 dated 13th January 1911, G.D.-197-10-3 I have the honor to forward herewith the Sketch of the scene of accident in Hebbal Range, as called for in the above.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servt

H.V. Ramaswamy
for Deputy Commissioner,
Bangalore District

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From
The Deputy Commissioner
Bangalore Dt.

To
The Secretary to the
Govt. of Mysore - Revenue
Deptt. - Bangalore

Dated
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General No.
5. No. 320

Enclosure No. 1

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Forwards a sketch
of the scene of occur-
-rence of Hebbal
as desired.

Rough sketch of the scene of accident that occurred at Hebbal Rifle Range on the 12th morning at 9 a.m.

G. Sreenivasalu
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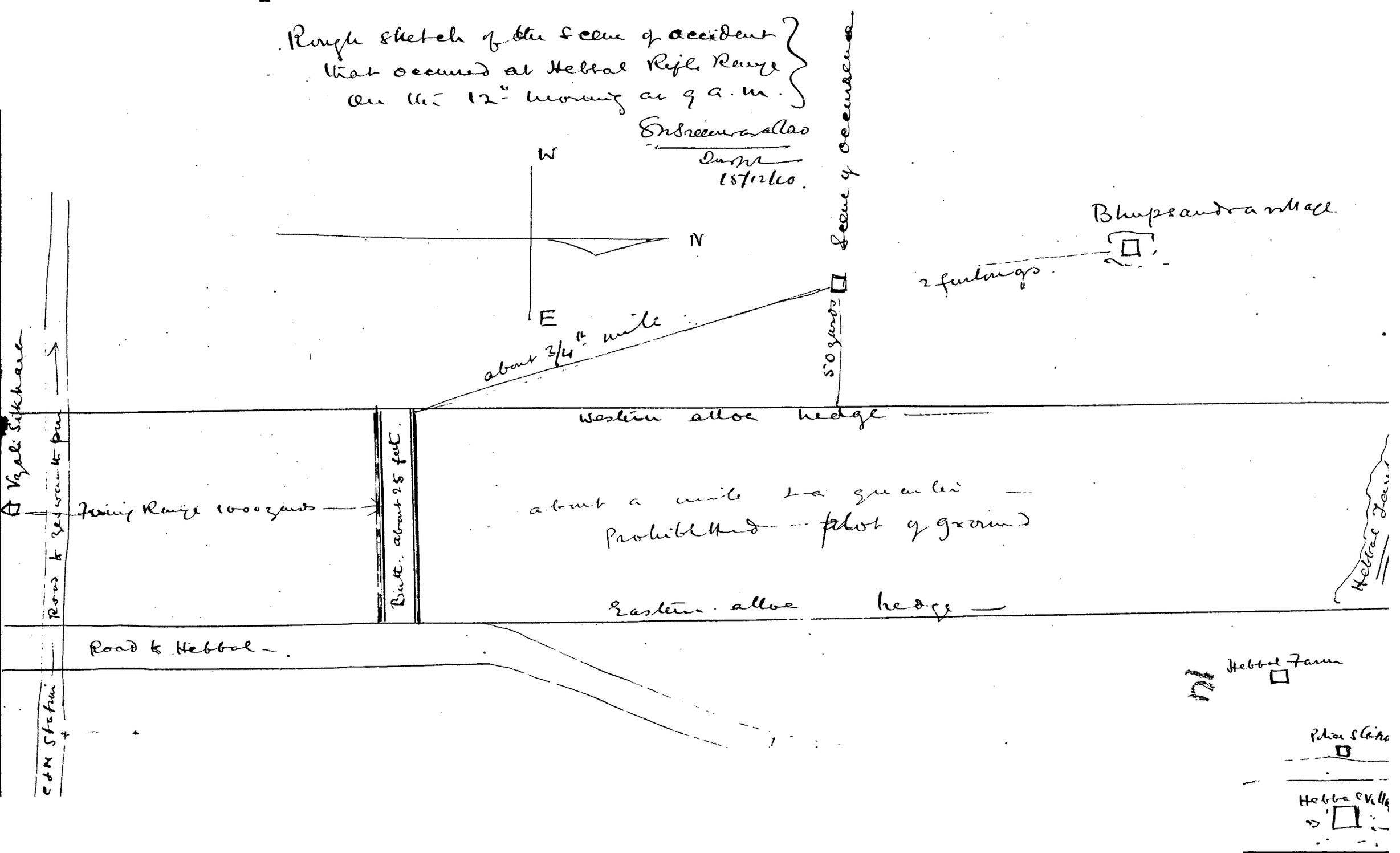
18/12/60.



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No.

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Date of issue 16-2-1914

Signed by _____

Mr Ct Balasundarampillai

To

The J.A. Resident

Sir,

I am directed to report for the information of the Hon'ble the Resident that at about 9 a.m. on the 12th ~~ultimo~~ a man named Silaman, son of one Mohadeen Khan of the Bhupasandra village in the limits of Hebbal was ~~while collecting straw in his field at about 9 a.m.~~ struck by a bullet apparently coming from the direction of the Hebbal Firing Range.

While he was collecting straw in his field.

He was at once removed to the Victoria Hospital where he was operated upon on the 13th and the bullet extracted. He is ascertained that the

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the Cameron Highlanders,
the 81st Pioneers, and
some volunteers (Bangalore
Rifle) were practising
firing at the Range on that
day.

2). The Supdt of Police,
Bangalore with the ~~Dy Supdtn~~
Amildar & Taluk Inspector
of Police visited the
scene of occurrence on the
~~Scene of occurrence~~ on the
evening of the 13th. It is
reported that the spot
where the man was wounded
is about 3/4th of a mile from
the Butts, ~~about~~ about 2 furlongs
from the village of Bhuvasandra
and about 50 yards off the
western hedge of the
'prohibited area' ^ or danger zone behind the butts
which extends up to the
Hebbal Tank; ~~but that~~ It is reported that the
distance from which the
soldiers were firing could

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not be ascertained.

3) The necessity for preventing the risk to ~~ensuring the safety of~~ public life from such accident in the neighbourhood of the Range Dunbar ~~Fort~~ either by widening the 'prohibited area' or by raising the height of the ~~Fort~~ butts. ~~has again on this occasion been impressed upon the Dunbar.~~ I am therefore to invite reference to the correspondence ending with Mr. Copeland's endt no 6768 G. 16.12.1908 and to request that the Military authorities may be addressed with a view to the proposal mentioned in the Asst Commanding Royal Engineer's ~~Fort~~ letter no. 10618 G 1st. idem to raise the butts throughout their entire length being given effect to at an early date, if it has not been already done.

The incident again brings to prominence

(4) I am further to observe that the ~~Municipal~~ local Revenue Authorities are of opinion that there will not be much use in raising the height of the butts as the ground in the

vicinity is in a slope, so that Military units firing from the farthest point near the Jumkur road are on a level with the top of the hills and the distance a bullet is likely to travel is greater than the distance between the hills & that road. I am to request to be informed whether in view of the above opinion it would be feasible to extend the protected area.

5) Copies of the Police Inspector's Reports with the Amildars observations thereupon are also enclosed for your reference.

Yours Ltrs 13 Feb

Thanks.

Yours Ltrs

Obt. Servt

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Letter No.1073, dated the 3rd March 1911, from the Assistant Commanding Royal Engineer, Bangalore, to the First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore.

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In reply to your No.1288 of 28th February 1911, regarding an accident near Hebbal Riflc Range, I have the honour to state that the Stop Butt of the Range was raised during January to April 1910. The portion to the East, behind --- which the danger zone has been demarcated, was raised to a height of 20 feet above the feet of the targets, and the portion to the West, where there is no danger zone, was raised to a height of 30 feet above the feet of the targets.

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Mysore Resident's Office,

No. 1534. Bangalore, dated the 13th March 1911.

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Secy. to Govt.
Pol. 1509
13-3-11.

A copy of the foregoing letter is forwarded herewith to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, for information, with reference to para. 3 of Mr. Balasundaram Iyer's letter No.761-Pol., dated the 16th February 1911.

First Assistant Resident.

K.M.
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Serial No. 7

Diary No. of letter replied to

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No. Cs 5738 Encl

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To

The Dy Comm^r Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to the correspondence ending with your letter no 8320 of 24-1-11 reporting on an accident ~~note~~ that took place near the Hebbal Range on the 12th Dec 1910, I am directed to forward herewith for your information ~~and~~ a copy of letter no 1013 of 3rd ~~inst~~ March 1911 from the Asst. Commanding Royal Engineer, Bangalore to the F.A. to the Hon'ble the Resident

over.

Date of issue 1st April 1911.

Signed by M^r B Ramaswamayya

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intimating that the Stop Both of the Range was raised in the early part of 1910. I am to ~~I am~~ enquire whether you have any further suggestions to make with a view to minimise ~~the~~ to the recurrence of such accidents.

I have &c.

C.S.H.

~~Secretary~~

19.3.11

List of enclosures,

Copied by A.C. 29/3/11

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G. No: 32.

Deputy Commissioner's office,
Dated 20th July 1911.

From B. J. Kumarasami Naik Esq., B.A.
Deputy Commissioner,
Bangalore District.

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C. S. Balasunderam Iyer Esq., B.A.
Offg: Secretary to the Govt: of Mysore,
General and Revenue Departments

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. G.5738 / G.M.197-10-7 dated 1-4-1911, inviting suggestions in the matter minimising the recurrence of accidents at the Hebbal Range, I have the honor to ~~state~~ submit that the recent accident occurred, after the stop Butts was raised during the first quarter of 1910.

As the site of the farthest Range is nearly on a level with the crest of the Butts, I beg to suggest that the opinion of expert musketry officers, may be obtained to decide whether there exists the necessity for enlarging the protected area behind the Butts or whether the existing height is enough to prevent accidents in future.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

for Deputy Commissioner,
Bangalore District.

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From The Deputy Commr
Bangalore Dr

To The Secy: to Govt.
Genl: & Rev: Dept

Dated 20th July 19

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General No.

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Enclosure No. —

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Request to seek
opinion of exper
dry officers in
matter of min
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From The Office of the Inspector-General of Police in Mysore

No. 1240/129

Dated Bangalore, 27th September 1911.

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From

D. Devaraj Urs Esquire,

Inspector-General of Police in Mysore.

DIARY No. 1526

To

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SECTION G-2

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FILE No. 197-10

ITEM No. 9

C.S.Balasundaram Iyer Esquire, B.A.,

Secretary to the Government of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,

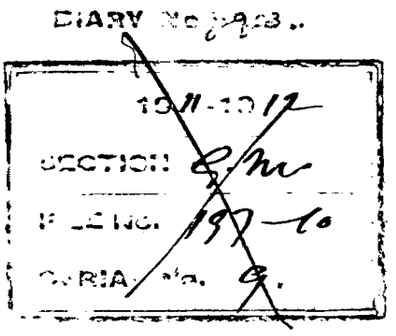
General and Revenue Department

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith for the information of Government copies of letters Nos.409 and 422 dated the 13th and 19th December 1910 with their enclosures from the Superintendent of Police, Bangalore District, reporting that during the Firing Practice at the Hebbal Range on 12-12-10 a man named Sileman of Bhupasamudra village was hit by a bullet and severely wounded. The individual was (at 9 A.m that day) collecting Ragi straw in his field which is about 6 furlongs from the Butt and 2 from his village. The injured man was immediately removed to the Victoria Hospital, where the bullet was extracted and he was saved from death.

2. Another accident of a similar kind was reported last year when a boy aged 18 years who was working at a Pikota in his garden situated about a furlong and a half from the range, was injured in like manner.

3. From enquiries made it is ascertained that the spent bullets were generally going far beyond the fire zone and occasionally ~~falling~~ falling into the bed and catchment area of the Hebbal tank which



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From

The Inspector-General of
Police in Mysore.

To

The Secretary to the Govt. of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
Gen. and Rev. Depts

Dated 27th September 1912

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Received

General No. 1260/129

Enclosure No. 5

Forwarding copies of letters from the Superintendent of Police Bangalore Dist re the accident at Hebbal during Riding Practice on 12.12.10

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which is still further away than the village of Bhu
samudra. To avoid the recurrence of such accidents
understand that after the occurrance of the above/a
the Butts were considerably raised to a sufficient
In my opinion the mere raising of the butts will no
afford a sufficient protection. If several lines (
at least) of quick growing trees are planted in clo
order behind the butts as indicated in the sketch i
ink there may not be any more of such accidents in fut

4. I request you therefore, to be so good as to
Government to pass early orders in the matter.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

Inspector-General of Police

S.S.G.

R e p o r t.

I beg to submit that constable Nur Ahmed No.133 of Hebbal came to me at about 3 P.M. and reported that a man named Sileman son of Mahodeen Khan of Bhupasandra village was hit by a bullet from the direction of Hebbal Firing-Rang while he was working in his field, and that the man has been brought to the Victoria Hospital for treatment. I went directly to the Hospital and took down his statement, copy of which is hereto attached for kind perusal. The man was collecting Ragi straw at about 9 A.M. when the bullet hit hi The bullet has pierced from the right nose down the front row of the teeth in the upper Jaw and passing through the tongue and lower portion of the same, has struck itself behind the neck on the left side. The bullet could easily be felt by the hand. The man talked to me well and I believ he is not in danger. Anyhow I submitted a report to the Cit Magistrate requesting to record his dying declaration. The Magistrate arrived at the Hospital accordingly at about 5 P.M and recorded his declaration to the effect that the bullet h him from the direction of the Hebbal Firing Range. One Ibra -him who was working with him is said to have removed him to the Police station in a cart. This day I ascertained that the Cameron High-Landers, 81st Pioneers and some Volenteers (Bangalore) were practising Firing at the Range.

Bangalore
12-12-1910

(Sd). S. N. Srinivasa Rao.
I n s p e c t o r.

Submitted.

Further report will be submitted after going to the spot

(Sd) A. Hayes.
Amildar.

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Inspector-General of Police.

R e p o r t.

In continuation of my report No.B dated 12-12-1910, I beg to report that the District Superintendent of Police and myself visited the scene of occurrence in the evening of the 13th instant. The spot, where the bullet struck the man(Silema is about ¾ of a mile from the Butt and about 2 furlongs from the village of Bhupasandra and is also about 50 yards off the western side hedge of the prohibited area. The prohibited ar extends up to the tank of Hebbal probably a mile and a quarter in length. The breadth of this area is equal to that of the Butt itself. In fact, it is a projection of the latter. The distance from which the soldiers were firing could not be ascertained. I am convinced that it is only a mere accident. The man was subjected to an operation on the morning of the 13th instant and the bullet has been extracted. He is under treatment in the Victoria Hospital. A sketch is hereto attach for kind reference.

I learn that there were similar accidents in previou years. It is quite obvious that in order to prevent these it is highly essential that the prohibited area must be widened or that the mud mound composing the Butt be raised a little highe The head of Police also visited the spot on the morning of the 13th instant.

Sd/- S.N.Srinivasa Rao.
Inspector.

S u b m i t t e d.

The cause of the accident is due either to a rico or an escaped bullet in either case the necessity for enlar the protected area behind the Butts is established by the p sent accident, and that of the one in which a boy was shot t the loins about 2 years ago; which accident also occurred i the same locality.

It is no use raising the height of the Butts as t ground in this vicinity is in a slope, so that Military Uni firing from the farthest point near the Tumkur road ar

a level with the top of the Butts and the distance a bullet is likely to travel is greater than the distance between the Butts and that road.

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(Sd). A. Hayes,
Amildar.

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Inspector-General of Police.

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Letter No.409 dated 13th December 1910, from the Superintendent of Police, Bangalore District, to the Inspector-General of Police in Mysore.

"I have the honor to state that the Amildar of Bangalore Taluk reports that a man named Sileman son of one Mohodeen Khan of Bhupasamudra village in the limits of Hebbal, was struck by a bullet which came from the directi of the Field Firing-Range at Hebbal this day and that he i now in the Victoria Hospital undergoing treatment.

A copy of the report No.B dated this day and received from the Police Inspector, Bangalore Taluk, giving the details of the incident is herewith forwarded for information. After making enquirees at the spot I shall submit a detailed report."

"C o p y."

Inspector-General of Police.

S.S.G.

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Letter No.422 dated 19th December 1910, from the Superintendent of Police, Bangalore District, to the Inspector-General of Police in Mysore.

"In continuation of my letter No.409 dated the 12th instant, in re- the accident by a bullet at Hebbal, I hav the honor to forward for information copy of Bangalore Taluk Police Inspector's report No.463 dated 15-12-1910, with the Amildar's observation thereon."

"C o p y."

Inspector-General of Police.

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Serial No. 10

Diary No. of letter replied to

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To

The First Asst. to the Hon'ble

the Resident in Mysore.

Date of issue 13-2-1912

Sir,

Signed by

Mr. S. Balasundaram

I am directed to invite

kind attention to the corres-

pondence ending with your

endorsement No. 1537 dated

the 13th March 1911 on the

subject of an accident which

occurred on the 12th Dec 1910

near the Hebbal Rifle Range

and the safeguards provided by

the Military authorities to

over.

SUBJECT.

to avoid the recurrence of such accidents in future.

2. The Deputy Com^r of the Kangalen Dt brings to the notice of the Dunbar that the accident in question occured after the Stop Butts was raised in the manner explained in the Asst. Commanding Royal Engineer's letter No. 1073 dated the 3rd March ult and he thinks that inasmuch as the side of the farthest Range is nearly on a level with the crest of the Butts the possibility of a recurrence of such accidents is not much minimised.

The Inspector-General of Police in Mysore is also of a similar view, viz, that the mere raising of the butts will not afford a sufficient protection. He suggests that several lines of quick-growing trees may be

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be planted in close order behind the butts as indicated in the sketch (enclosed herein for reference and kind return) in green ink.

I am to request that the Military authorities may kindly be addressed in the matter

I have &c.

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for Secy to Govt

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expd by
B Krishnamurthy
10-7-12

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Office of the
Inspector General of Police in Mysore,

No. 2317/230 Dated 19th December 1913.

From,

C. Srikantesvara Aiyar Esquire, B.A., B.L.,
Inspector General of Police in Mysore.

To,

K.R. Srinivasaiengar Esquire, M.A.,
Secretary to the Govt. of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
General and Revenue Departments.

Sir,

I have the honor to report for the information of Government, another bullet accident that occurred while firing was going on at the Hebbal Range on the 2nd October 1913 by the Bangalore Rifle Volunteers. One Muninagappa a Kumbar of Gedlahalli, aged about 60 years, who was gathering grass along with others in a field situated at a distance of one mile from the Range was hit at 8 A.M. that day by a stray spent bullet.

The injured man was immediately taken to the Bowring Hospital, where he died on the 5th day of admission viz. 6th October 1913.

2. I am afraid that, unless and until some such suitable arrangement as that suggested in my letter No.1240/129 dated 27th September 1911 is made for safe-guarding the Range, the recurrence of accidents could not be averted.

3. In conclusion I request the favor of being informed if any reference has been made to the Residency in the matter and with what result.

I have the honor to be,
sir,
Your most obedient servant,

M Lakshmanaiah

Asst. to Inspector General of Police,
For Inspector General of Police,
Absent from Station.

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From,

The Inspector General of Police
in Mysore.

To,

The Secy to Govt of H.H. the
Maharaja of Mysore, Genl and Rev Dept

Dated 19th December 1913.

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General No. 2317/239
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Reporting for the information of Government, another bullet accident that occurred at Hebbal Range on the 2nd October 1913.

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Pol. No 818
dt 16.4.1914.
signed by Mr.
K. R. Srinivasiengar.

To G. M. 1997-10-12

The First Assistant to the Hon'ble
the Resident in Mysore.

Sir,

With reference to the correspondenc ending with Mr. Balasundaram Iyer's letter No Pol.687 dated 13th February 1912 on the subject of providing safeguards for preventing accidents in the vicinity of the Rifle Range at Hebbal, I am directed to intimate that another accident is reported to have occurred in that locality during the firing on the morning of the 2nd October last, the victim being one Muninagappa, a potter aged 60 years It is reported that he was struck by a bullet while gathering grass in a field at a distanc of a mile from the range and was immediately removed to the Bowring Hospital where he died four days later.

2. I am to request that it may be brought to the notice of the Hon'ble the Resident that no intimation was sent to the Durbar of the accident or the loss of life that occurred on this occasion. It seems important that some special measures should be adopted in conference with the Military authorities, against a recurrence of such serious accidents and also to ensure that the Durbar are furnished with full particulars of such occurrences, should they occur again.

3. I am to express the hope that this representation will receive favourabable consideration from the Hon'ble the Resident and that the further action taken will be duly intimated to the Durbar.

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I have &c.,

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Letter No. 21150/1 (A.G.19), dated 23rd June 1914, from the Government of India, Army Department, to the General Officer Commanding 9th (Secunderabad) Division.

Enclosures returned as requested.

With reference to your *letter No. 2478/2(A) dated 22nd May 1914, I am directed to say that, in the circumstances represented, the Government of India sanction the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 200 (Rupees two hundred only) to Kasamma widow of the late Muninaga, a villager who was actually shot behind the Hebbal Rifle Range at Bangalore on the 2nd October 1913 and who subsequently died from the effects of the wound received by him.

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No. 5258 with Rs. 200/-

Mysore Resident's office,
Bangalore, 30th July 1914.

A copy of the foregoing letter (with Rs. 200) is forwarded herewith to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore for information with reference to Mr. Srinivasiengar's letter No. 818 Pol., dated the 16th April 1914, and for favour of necessary action.

2. It has been ascertained that the deceased Muninagappa was 30 yards outside the danger zone and 1300 yards behind and north of the stop butts when he was struck by the bullet. In expressing their regret for the omission to give intimation of this case, the military authorities have stated that any future occurrence will be duly intimated to the Residency with as little delay as possible for communication to the Durbar.

M R Wadsworth

First Assistant Resident.

MR

Rs 200/- remitted.
To Acct I Deptt

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To

The I. G. of Police
in Mysore

Date of issue

Signed by

Sir

H.S (

With reference to your letter No. 2317/230 dated 19th Decr 1913 reporting the case of an accident that occurred in the course of firing at the Hebbal Rifle Range on the 2nd Octr 1913 by the Bangalore Rifle Volunteers, I am directed to state that in the circumstances represented the Govt of India have sanctioned the grant of a gratuity of Rs 200/- (to Rupees two hundred only)

Over.

SUBJECT.

Kasamma, widow of the late Nassinaga, the villager who was shot on the occasion of the firing and who subsequently died from the effects of the wound received by him.

2. It is stated that the deceased Nunnagaa was 30 yards outside the danger zone and 1300 ~~yards~~ yards behind and north of ~~the~~ the stop butts when he was struck by the bullet. In expressing their regret for the omission to give intimation of this case, the Military Authorities are reported to have stated that any future occurrence would be duly intimated to the Residency with as little delay as possible for communication to the Durbar

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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above is forwarded to the Dy. Comr Bangalore Distt (with a copy of the Inspector General's letter of the 19th Decr 1913) with the observation that a report should have been submd by him in the matter soon after the accident happened.

The sum of Rs 200 (Rupees two hundred only) referred to above is forwarded herewith for being paid to the widow of the deceased and the fact reported to Govt.

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The First Resident
in Mysore

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of your endorsement No 5258 dated 30th July 1914 forwarding a sum with Rs 200, a copy of letter No 22160/1, dated 23rd June 1914, from the Govt of India, Army Dept, to the General Officer Commanding 9th (Secunderabad) Division and to state that the Durbar greatly appreciate the generosity on the part of the Govt of India in having sanctioned the grant of a gratuity of Rs 200 to Hasamma, widow of the late Munuga, a villager who was actually shot behind the Hebbal Rifle Range at Bangalore on the 2nd Oct 1913 and who subsequently died from the effects of the accident.

Signed by Hon. D.M. Narasinga Rao.

The Durbar are also obliged to the Military authorities for their assurance that any future occurrence of this kind will be dealt with by the Residency

20.8.14

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~~With as little delay as possible for~~

Communicated to the Durbar.

I am to request that these sentiments of the Durbar may kindly be conveyed to the Hon'ble the President in Nepal.

15-8-14.

I have &c.

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Secy
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Office of the Deputy Commissioner,

Bangalore District.

Dated Bangalore, 12th October 1914.

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SER. No. 16

From

K.Chandy, Esquire, B.A.,

Deputy Commissioner,

Bangalore District.

To

D.M.Narasinga Rao, Esq., B.A.,B.L.,

Offg. Secretary to the Government of Mysore,

General and Revenue Departments,

Bangalore.

Sir,

Adverting para 2 of your Memo No. G.1946 dated the 22nd August 1914, regarding the payment of a sum of Rs. 200/- to the widow of the late Muninga the villager who was shot on the occasion of the firing and subsequently died, I have the honour to state that the widow referred to in the letter under reply having died on the 5th August 1914, the daughter of the deceased Muninga was sent for and the amount disbursed to her on the 18th September 1914.

2. The payee's receipt and the records connected therewith are herewith submitted for reference.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

G. Rudrappa

Deputy Commissioner,
Bangalore District.

RNP.

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From

The Deputy Commissioner
Peshawar Division

To

The Secretary to the Govt—
Genl & Rev Departments

Dated

Despatched 13 - x - 14

Received

General No. F 222
No.

Enclosure No. payees receipt & notice

Payment of Rs 200 to the
widow of late Municipal

Recording the letter of the Dy. Comm. of Bangalore reporting on the payment of the gratuity of Rs 200/

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Serial No. 17

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Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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READ—

correspondence ending with letter no. S 2228/13th Oct 1914 from the Deputy Commr, Bangalore Dt, stating that the

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Paper under original

Date of issue 6.11.1914

Signed by Mr. S.R.C. Rao.

ORDER THEREON.—No.

gratuity of Rs 200/ sanctioned by the Govt. of India to Kasamma, widow of the late Munija, the villager who was shot during the firing by the Rifle Volunteers

over.

SUBJECT.

End K.N. 5/11/14

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behind the Hebbal Rifle Range who subsequently died, was disbursed to Muni, daughter of the deceased, as the widow is reported to have died and forwarding the records connected therewith.

Order thereon:

Recorded.

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R. It is presumed that the daughter to whom the amount has been disbursed is the preferential heir to the widow Kasamma.

Mar 27.10

Jtf: Secy to Govt.

Do. The Deputy Commr, Bangalore

returning the records (except the payee's receipt).

KN. 26.10.14